

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CIVIL MINUTES - GENERAL

Case No.: 2:23-cv-09430-SVW-PD

Date: July 30, 2025

Title: Robert Hunter Biden v. Patrick M. Byrne

Present: The Honorable **STEPHEN V. WILSON, United States District Judge**

Daniel Tamayo
Deputy Clerk

Maria Bustillos
Court Reporter

Attorney(s) Present for Plaintiff(s):
Brian Sullivan; Zachary Hansen;
Phillip Barber; Richard Harpootlian

Attorney(s) Present for Defendant(s):
Tom Yu

Proceedings: Jury Trial (continued)
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE (held and completed)

Case called. Jury Trial **NOT HELD**. For the reasons stated on the record, the Court **ORDERS** the following:

- The Motion for Reconsideration [297] is **DENIED**.
- Oral Motion for Default is **DENIED**.
- Jury Trial is **CONTINUED to October 14, 2025, at 9:00 a.m.**
- Defense Counsel is **ORDERED** to appoint new counsel by **August 15, 2025**.
- Plaintiff is allowed to obtain further Discovery regarding the Defendant's financial condition that include demands for documents and deposition.
- Moving forward, all discovery matters will be held in front of Judge Wilson, not the Magistrate Judge.
- **Peter David Ticktin's** Application for Pro Hac Vice **retroactively DENIED** and may not appear in this Court.
- The Defendant may **NOT** pursue any further discovery.